The Bombay Gazette

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SHIPPING.

S. S. "CATHAY."
FOR MARSEILLES AND LONDON.

SHIPPERS are requested to take notice that this Steamer will LOAD in the HARBOUR instead of in the Prince's Docks.

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.

S.S. "TASMANIA."

NOTICE TO PASSENGERS.

A SMALL STEAMER will LEAVE the APOLLO BUNDER at 3 p.m. on FRIDAY to convey Passengers on board the Tasmania.

All heavy baggage must be sent to the Company's Dockyard, Mazagon, between the hours of 7 and 10 a.m. on the day of sailing, as nothing but hand packages can be taken in the steamer.

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Co.

February 25, 1885.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM TO ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, AND MARSEILLES.

PROGRAMME OF DEPARTURES.

Vessel	Tons	H. P.	Captain.	FRIDAY. 1885.
L. Tasmania	4500	800	G. G. Perrins....	27th Feb.
M. Cathay	2983	500	T. Fairlough ..	6th Mar.
L. Sydenham	2904	500	G. Scrivener ..	13th "
— Gwalior	2735	500	F. Harris.....	20th "
L. Bokhara	3944	500	E. Weigheil	27th "
M. Carthage	3013	1000	G. N. Rector....	3rd April
L. Surat	3142	550	C. R. Edwards..	10th "
— Nizam	3726	800	W. J. Webber ..	17th "
L. Chusan	4809	800	H. Wyatt	24th "
M. Thames	4101	800	W. A. Seaton....	1st May.
L. Malwa.....	2959	500	A. W. Adamson.	8th "
L. Aden.....	3041	500	S. F. Cole.....	15th "
L. Verona	3116	600	L. H. Moule....	22nd "
M. Siam.....	3041	500	E. Ashdown....	29th "
L. Venetia.....	2726	500	A. B. Daniell....	2nd June.

The steamers marked L proceed direct to London via Malta, and those marked M via Marseilles. By the others passengers for London change vessels at Suez. All London steamers call at Plymouth.

A steam-barge will leave the Company's Dockyard, Mazagon, at 2 p.m., on the day of sailing to convey passengers on board.

STEAM TO COLOMBO, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, AND AUSTRALIA.

Vessel.	Tons. H.P.	Captains.	On 1885.
MALWA	2959 500	A. W. Adamson....	6th March.
VENETIA	2726 500	A. B. Daniell	20th "
ROSETTA.....	3502 700	G. W. Brady	3rd April.
ROMULA.....	3502 700	W. Barratt.....	17th "

Return Tickets are now issued at greatly reduced rates to all ports, for particulars of which apply to

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.

Bombay, Feb. 1, 1885.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

BRINDISI ROUTE.

THROUGH TICKETS from BOMBAY to LONDON *viâ* Brindisi, including the Continental Railway Fare, are now issued on favorable terms; and return tickets available for three and six months. Tickets can also be obtained which allow passengers to travel 1st class by the steamer and 2nd class by rail from Brindisi to London.

MARSEILLES ROUTE.

STEAMERS leave BOMBAY for MARSEILLES and LONDON direct every four weeks (see general advertisement), and the voyage to the former port is accomplished in 19 days in fair weather (21 days during the Monsoon). The Railway journey from Marseilles to London occupies about 27 hours.

Fares to London, by the sea route or *viâ* Marseilles, including the Railway Fare across the Continent :—

First Class Rs. 680. Second Class Rs. 370.

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F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. and O. S. N. Co.

Bombay, Feb. 21, 1885.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA,
SOCIETA RIUNITE FLORIO RUBATTINO.

THE Regular Mail-steamers leave BOMBAY on the 1st of each month at noon, calling at ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MESSINA, NAPLES, GENOA, and MARSEILLES, starting from GENOA on the 24th of every month for BOMBAY.

FARE to all Ports of Italy and Marseilles, Rs. 500, Rs. 340, Rs. 150, for First, Second, and Third Class respectively, inclusive of Wine. Infants are allowed free. Children over under ten years, half fare. Families will be allowed liberal discount.

Passengers' heavy baggage will be delivered in LONDON, FREE OF CHARGE, to the extent allowed in the handbooks.

A discount of 35, 20, and 10 per cent. is allowed to Passengers returning within three, six, and twelve months respectively from the date of LANDING.

The following or other First Class Steamers will leave Bombay :—

	Tons.	H.P.	
CHINA	5,000	350	1st Mar. 1885.
RUFFAELE RUBATTINO	5,000	350	1st April "
SINGAPORE	5,000	350	1st May "

Steam Launch leaves Apollo Bunder between 10 and 11 a.m. on the day of Sailing, with Passengers and heavy Baggage.

Through Railway Tickets available for 17 days, to London *viâ* Calais or Brighton, both from Genoa and Naples are issued here.

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F. BOZZONI, Agent.
Sassoon House, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, Feb. 2, 1885.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S S. N. Co.

REGULAR LINE OF STEAMERS
BETWEEN BOMBAY, BRINDISI, AND TRIESTE, *VIA* CANAL.

Steamers.	Captains	Tons.	H. P.	To sail 1885-
BERENICE.....	G. B. Verona..	3,500	550	1st March.
ELEKTRA.....	G. Catich.....	4,100	600	2nd April
MEDUSA.....	G. Ragusin.....	3,500	550	2nd May

A Surgeon and Stewardess on board of every Steamer.

RATES OF PASSAGE MONEY.

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	Deck
TRIESTE OR BRINDISI.....	Rs. 600	Rs. 300	Rs. 120

RETURN TICKETS are now issued available for SIX MONTHS at the following rates :—

	1st Class.	2nd Class.
TRIESTE OR BRINDISI.....	Rs. 800	Rs. 480

Above rates include Wines supplied at meals.

Steamers for BOMBAY leave TRIESTE on the 1st and BRINDISI on the 3rd of each month.

The Company's steam launch will be in attendance at the Apollo-bunder on the day of sailing to convey passengers and their luggage to the steamer, free of charge.

STEAM TO COLOMBO, PENANG, SINGAPORE AND HONGKONG.

Steamer.	Captain.	Tons.	H.P.	To sail. 1885.
MEDUSA.....G. Ragusin.....		3,500	550	1st March.

STEAM TO COLOMBO AND CALCUTTA.

Steamer.	Captain.	Tons	H.P.	To sail.
ORION	G. Mahorcich ..	3,500	500	15th March

No Cargo will be received on board after sunset on the day previous to sailing.

For further particulars, freight, passage, &c., &c., apply to

J. JANNI, Agent.
Sassoon House, 50, Church-gate-street, Bombay, Jan. 30, 1885.

HALL LINE OF STEAMERS.
BOMBAY AND LIVERPOOL
CALLING AT MALTA.

THE following sailings have been arranged :—

	Tons.	H.P.		1885.
S. S. SPEKE HALL	2,707	400	17th	March.
S. S. RYDAL HALL.....	2,700	400	31st	"
S. S. WISTOW HALL.....	2,700	400	30th	April.

These fast Steamers have been specially built and adapted in every way for the Bombay Trade.

Each Steamer carries a Surgeon and Stewardess.

For Plans, Handbooks of information, and other particulars as to Passage apply to EDWARD BATES & Co., and KING, KING & Co.

The shipment of packages from up-country by this line is also undertaken.

EDWARD BATES & Co.,
Agents.
33, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, December, 19 1884.

ANCHOR LINE.
INDIAN SERVICE BETWEEN BOMBAY, LIVERPOOL, AND MEDITERRANEAN.

BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL.

	Tons.	H.P.	Comdr.	1885.
s.s. BELGRAVIA	5019	1000	G. C. Boothby	2nd Mar.
s.s. PERSIA	3978	480	R. Hutchison....	23rd "
s.s. CALIFORNIA	3410	840	Wm. S. Young....	1st April.
s.s. VICTORIA....	3242	480	Wm. Russell.....	23rd "
s.s. CASPIA.....	3349	480	T. Craig	1st May.
s.s. BRITANNIA	3069	480	F. Blight	23rd "
s.s. BELGRAVIA	5003	1000	G. C. Boothby ..	30th "

KURRACHI TO MARSEILLES AND LONDON.

	Tons.	H.P.	Comdr.	1885.
s.s. NUBIA.....	3553	480	Knox.....	7th March.

To be followed by other first-class steamers at regular intervals.

For the convenience of *Indian* Passengers, an Agency has been opened at 8, Regent St., London, S.W.

For rates of passage and further particulars apply to

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co.,
Bombay, Feb. 24, 1885. Agents.

CLAN LINE OF STEAMERS.

THE following sailings have been arranged :—

BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL DIRECT.

	Tons.	Comdrs	About
CLAN MACGREGOR....	3,060	...Macalister	16th Mar.
" DHUMMOND....	3,093	...S. L. Wilson...	22nd Mar.
" OGILVIE.....	3,500	...G. Nelson.....	3rd Apl.

To be followed by other first-class steamers at regular intervals.

Each steamer carries a properly qualified Surgeon and Stewardess, and Wines can be had on board at moderate prices.

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SHIPPING.

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S. S. "EUPHRATES," 803 tons, on FRIDAY, 27th February, 1885, at noon, calling (weather permitting) at Veraval, Mangarole, Porebunder and Cutch Mandavie.

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S. S. "PACHUMBA," 867 tons, on arrival of the English Mail calling at Kurrachee, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bahrein, Bushire, Fao, and Muscat, in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR ADEN, ZANZIBAR AND MOZAMBIQUE.

S. S. "BURMAH," 108 tons, on 26th February, 1885, 5 p.m.

FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA

S. S. "BYCULLA," 1,464 tons, on THURSDAY, the 26th inst., at 5 a. m., calling at such ports as may be arranged. Particulars can be ascertained on application to the undersigned.

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Ditto " " .....30 "	25 0
Ditto " " .....33 "	28 0
Ditto " " .....36 "	32 0
Superior finish, bound with Leather.36 "	48 0
Ditto " " ...36 "	54 0
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Very light and strong, wicker frames, rounded tops, covered with black Japanned Canvas (fitted with Tray)— 27 inches × 24 inches × 19 inches	36 0
Ditto do. 30 " ×25 " ×21 "	40 0
Ditto do. 33 " ×27 " ×23 "	43 0
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Ditto do. do.....24 "	36 0
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12 inches.....	16 0
16 "	21 8
Morocco Leather, opening square at top, with strong locks, and nickel mounts.	
12 inches.....	13 8
14 "	15 0
16 "	18 0
GLADSTONE BAGS.—In plain Hide or Black Leather. The most useful and convenient Travelling Bags made; being collapsible they occupy little space when not filled, and are light and strong.	
PLAIN HIDE.—16 inches.....	22 8
20 "	27 0
26 "	47 0
PLAIN BLACK LEATHER.—18 inches.....	27 0
20 "	30 0
26 "	50 0
FITTED GLADSTONE BAGS.—Containing all the articles necessary for the Toilet.....	90
A most useful Travelling Companion.....	90

	Cash Prices. Rs. a.
CORRUGATED IRON TRUNKS.—Rounded tops, and Japanned Oak, 21 inches	25 0
Ditto do. 24 "	30 0
Ditto do. 27 "	40 0
AIR-TIGHT UNIFORM CASES.—Best stout Japanned, for Uniforms, &c., 24×12×8 inches	15 0
Ditto do. 27×13×9 inches	18 0
Ditto do. 40×12×6½ inches	25 0
STEEL CABIN TRUNKS.—Grained Oak, fitted with patent triple secure-locks, made shallow, suitable for fitting beneath a ship's berth, &c.	
Small size, 24×13½×9 inches	14 0
SOLID LEATHER PORTMANTEAUX.—With expanding top.	
20 inches.....	36 0
24 "	45 0
SOLID LEATHER TRUNKS.	
Extra stout, brass rivetted, brass corner pieces and best finish throughout 30 inches	68 8
Do. do ..... 36 inches	83 0
SOLID LEATHER PORTMANTEAUX.—Of very best quality and workmanship.	
22 inches	36 0
24 "	40 0
27 "	45 0
BASIL LEATHER PORTMANTEAUX.—Less expensive, but not so durable as the solid leather.	
24 inches	20 0
27 "	25 0
TAN CANVAS PORTMANTEAUX.—Very strong and serviceable	
20 inches	19 0
22 "	20 8
24 "	22 8
COURIER OR MONEY BAGS.—With the latest improvements in straps and locks.	
Morocco Leather ..... 7 "	5 0
Do. do. ..... 8 "	5 4
Do. do. ..... 9 "	6 4
Plain Hide ..... 6½ "	9 8
Do. do. ..... 7½ "	10 8
Do. do. ..... 8½ "	12 0
BROWN TAN CANVAS CARTRIDGE BAGS.—A necessity to Sportsmen— To take 50 Cartridges.....	4 8
" 75 "	5 4
" 100 "	6 4

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA AND POONA.

TREACHER'S "GLENLIVET" WHISKY

IS a blend of the finest HIGHLAND WHISKIES of a particularly delicate aroma and flavour.

Rs. 22-8 per dozen.

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Have always on hand a good assortment of

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comprising :

SOAPS,	PERFUMES,	POMADES,
TOOTH POWDERS,	EAU DE COLOGNE,	HAIR WASHES,
TOOTH PASTE,	TOILET VINEGAR,	HAIR BRUSHES,
TOOTH BRUSHES,	RAZORS,	NAIL BRUSHES,
BATH GLOVES,	STROPS,	CLOTHES BRUSHES

And other articles too numerous to detail.

THOMSON AND TAYLOR,
35, ESPLANADE-ROAD, BOMBAY.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

WE beg to inform our Constituents and the Public that we will on FRIDAY next, the 27th instant, shift into the premises now occupied by the CASH BAZAAR, LIMITED, in Church Gate Street.

BARTON & CO., LIMITED,
WINE AND GENERAL MERCHANTS.

EASY AND PERFECT FITTING SHIRTS.

ASQUITH AND LORD'S

SHIRTS are recommended for their STYLE, COMFORT, and DURABILITY. SHIRTS of all kinds MADE to MEASURE, and particulars of each ORDER carefully REGISTERED FOR FUTURE USE.

Every size kept in STOCK of the various MAKES and QUALITIES ready for immediate wear. PATTERNS of all their NEW MATERIALS posted on application. NO CHARGE for CARRIAGE or PACKING when remittance accompanies order, or if sent by VALUE PAYABLE PARCEL POST.

PRICE LIST.

	Per ½ doz.
Fine Strong Long-cloth for wearing under Uniform, a capital Shirt for Troopship use ... ...Rs.	22 8
Fine White Shirts, with linen Fronts and Cuffs ... ... "	28 0
Fine White Shirts, with Collars attached. "	31 0
Our Best White Shirts, with linen Fronts and Cuffs ... ... "	30 0
Our Best White Shirts, with Collars attached ... ... "	34 0

	Per ½ doz.
Best Coloured French Cambric Shirts, Collars attached... ... ...Rs.	30 0
Best Oxford-cloth or Jute, with Collars attached... ... ... "	36 0
Best Wove Flannel, thoroughly shrunk ... "	52 0
Silk and Wool, *our special* material ... "	52 0
Spun Silk, the best white or fancy Stripes ... ... "	70 0

10 PER CENT. DISCOUNT FOR CASH.

ASQUITH & LORD,
THE WELL-KNOWN SHIRT-MAKERS,
BOMBAY.

REMOVAL.

THE CASH BAZAAR, LIMITED,
SOLE SUCCESSORS
TO
AUX VILLE DE FRANCE.

HAVE the pleasure to inform the public, that they have now arranged for a removal into premises formerly known as the

FRENCH SHOP

On FRIDAY and SATURDAY next, the 27th and 28th FEBRUARY 1885.

This removal is necessitated by the increasing demand made on the business by the public and with a view to meeting the same, the new premises have been engaged, thus affording increased space to enable us to arrange our stock in accordance with the requirements of the business, and more important still that both the Ladies' and Gentlemen's Department will be in one and the same building and under the immediate and direct supervision of the Manager, being thereby a guarantee for the strictest attention to all constituents; making the business an advantage to the public.

The new premises show two frontages, one in Esplanade-road and the other in Church-gate-street, and the entire building will form certainly one of the largest Ladies' Costumers and Tailors' Houses in the City.

In addition to the removal into more extensive and advantageous premises they have engaged the services of a very competent staff of European Assistants offering thereby greater attention to our customers.

THE CASH BAZAAR, LIMITED
WILLIAM SILLITOE,
Secretary and Manager.

34, ESPLANADE ROAD, BOMBAY. 1, EAST STREET, POONA.

MESSRS. C. MARCKS AND CO.

IN submitting to their numerous Constituents and the Public in general an Abstract of their Stock, beg respectfully to State that every department is replete with Goods of the Highest Class, and all who are desirous of investing their money in really substantial articles are respectfully invited to visit their Establishment.

CHAINS—Ladies' Neck Chains.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEB. 25.

CONSOLS were ½ better in London yesterday at 98⅜, the money market showing signs of increasing ease; but although Bar Silver has advanced ½d. to 49½d. per oz., Indian loans are worse again, the 3½ per cent. Sterling Loan by ½, 4 per cent. Rupee Paper by ¼ and 4½ per cent. by ½.

Wheat is quoted 1d. per centai down in Liverpool, but the other general produce markets are without change.

Cotton in Liverpool yesterday was firm, and an advance of 1-16d. is quoted in Good Fair Omra and fine Broach, but the sales only reached 8,000 bales, and Americans to arrive are partially 1-64d. lower. With the existing depression in trade and the uncertainty caused by political affairs, Liverpool advances with great reluctance, but the position is strengthening so rapidly that buyers cannot help but follow. In New York yesterday, with light receipts at the ports, ready Cotton was ¼ cent, futures 12 points higher, which is sure to affect Liverpool to-day. The receipts show the following comparisons with the two previous seasons:—

	1885	1884	1883
Four days' receipts.	19,000	42,000	72,000
Total since 1st Sept.	4,333,000	4,271,000	4,836,000

We have had a firm market here again to-day, with more inquiry on the part of buyers. Sellers, however, are not quite so easy to deal with, and the extent of business done has not been so large. Prices may be quoted Rs. 2 per candy higher all round, the following being current quotation:—

	Good.	Fully Good.	Fine.
Bengals, ready	Rs. 163	Rs. 172	,,
Omras, ,,	,, 202	,, 207	,, 208
Broach, March	,, 230-232	,,	,,
Dholleras, May	,, 201	,, 206	,, 211

WHEAT is very quiet, with few buyers either ready or forward.

SEEDS are also quiet, with little doing.

FREIGHTS are decidedly dull. Ready rates for Liverpool are 1s. 3d. lower, and forward charterers continue very indifferent as business. For March loading a steamer is reported fixed for Havre at 27s. 6d. and one for Dunkirk at 26s. 3d. per ton. We quote:—

	Ready.	March.	April
Liverpool	28s. 9d.	29s.3d. to 27s. 6d.	25s. to 26s. 3d.
Open Charter	28s. 6d. (Nml.)	26s. 3d.	
Havre	Nil.	27s. 6d.	
Antwerp	27s. 6d.	27s. 6d.	
Marseilles	27s. 6d.	26s. 3d.	March-April.
Trieste Venice	31s. 3d.	33s. 9d.	32s. 6d.

COALS are practically unchanged. The re-sales of small lots rather depress the market for ready, but sellers of future delivery are very firm, as freights outward have rather an upward tendency.

PIECE-GOODS are steadier by the advance in the raw material, but the demand continues slack.

EXCHANGE.—The rise in Silver, and firm advices from Calcutta has caused a further advance of 1-32d. again to-day, and the tendency at the close is still upwards. Councils, however, will decide how things are to go to-morrow. Quotations now are:—

	Forward.
Bank Bills on demand	1s. 7d. per rupee
Do. Telegraphic	1s. 23-32s. 15-16d. ,,
Do. 3 months' sight	1s. 7 5-32d. ,,
Credits 3 months' sight	1s. 7¼d. ,,
France 3 months' sight	2 50¾. ,,

MONEY remains unaltered, the Bank of Bombay having made no change in their rates of discount to-day.

GOVERNMENT PAPER shows increased weakness owing to the decline reported by wire from London. Fours opened for cash at Rs. 96½, but at the close are weak at Rs. 96⅜, and there are sellers for 15th March delivery at Rs. 95 13-16. Fours-and-a-half are Rs. 99½, but quite nominal.

SHARES.—The depression in Spinning Mill shares still continues, indeed, if it be possible, is increasing. Every rupee per candy advance in cotton now means so much loss in the working of the mills, as even the best and most economically managed concerns can scarcely make both ends meet. Quatations are Rs. 5 to Rs. 10 lower in some cases, but they are to a great extent nominal. Press shares are generally firm, but Bombay have declined Rs. 10. Bombay Burmah Trading Co.'s shares are Rs. 50 lower at Rs. 4,050.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LISTS.

BANKS.

	Shares.	Amt.	Paid up.	Last Dividend.	Cash. Rate.
INDIAN BANKS.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
Bank of Bombay	20,000	500	all	5 p.c.	755
Bank of Bengal	42,000	500	all	1 do.	560
Bank of Madras	10,000	500	all	5 do.	630
EXCHANGE BANKS.		£	£		
Agra Bank	40,000	100	all	6 do.	118
Hong, and Shang. B. Corporation	60,000	$125	all	17½ do.	450
National Bank of India	37,320	£ 250	12½	do.	99

PRESS COMPANIES.

Akbar Cotton	200	1,250	1,250	..	850
Akola Press Co.	35	500	500	Rs. 50	450
Albert Ginning Co.	100	500	500	Rs. 45	425
Albert Press Co., Kurrachee	220	1,100	1,100	Rs. — 0	1,140
Apollo Press Co. (small shares)	750	400	400	Rs. 2½	295
Bellary	620	1,000	1,000	Rs. 25	500
Brady's Cawnpore P. Co., Ld.	500	200	200	..	185
New Berar Cotton Ginning & Press Co.	1,250	500	500	Rs. 45	570
New Broach Cotton Ginning & Press Co.	1,400	100	100	Rs. 40	3
Bombay Cotton Press.	1,000	125	125	Rs. 41	230
Colaba Press Co.	1,500	1 880	1,880	Rs. 200	320
Dhollera P. & G. Co.	5 0	300	300	12	161
East India Press Co.	700	1,000	1,000	Rs. 130	1185
Fort Press Co.	150	8,500	8 500	Rs. 400	2,325
French Press Co.	300	500	500	Rs. 45	610
Harvey & Sabapathy Co., Ld. (Bellary.)	450	500	500	..	450
Khamgaum Cotton Press Co.	240	500	5 0	Rs. 40	475xd
Manmar Manfg. Co.	1,000	250	250	Rs. 40	270
Mercantile Press	1,500	125	125	Rs. 7½	137½
Mofussil Co.	2,125	400	400	Rs. 30	575
New Indian Press	4,000	125	125	Rs. 10	187½
Prince of W. Press	600	500	500	108	575
Sabapathy Press Co., Ld., (Bellary.)	500	500	500	—	500
Sind Press Co.	400	2,000	750	Rs. 50	605
Sind & Punjaub Cotton Press Co.	100	1,000	1,000	Rs. 90	1,175xd
Suesoon Press Co.	300	500	500	25	515
Volkart Press Co.	450	1,000	1,000	Rs. 60	760

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

Ahmedabad S. & W Company	1,308	1,000	1,000	..	1,375
Albert Edward Cotton Mills Co. Ld.	1,000	500	500	Rs. 18½	505
Anglo-Indian S. & W. Company	20,000	100	100	Rs. 2	100
Alfred Manf'g. Co.	1,000	500	500	Rs. 17½	380
Allianoe Cotton & Silk Manufg. Co., Ld.	1,800	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	675
Bellary S.&W.Co.,Ld.	871	500	all	..	475
Bhowanagar Mills	9,0 0	100	100	..	22
Bombay United	900	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	890
Budneia Mf'g Co., Ld.	1,000	500	500	..	180
Central India S. & W. Company	3,000	500	500	Rs. 40	675
Connaught Mills	840	500	500	..	221
Coorla Mills	1,300	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	545
City of Bombay	600	1,000	1,000	..	725
D. Spinning Co.	3,000	500	500	..	267½
Dhun Mills	1,000	1,000	1,000	..	1,000
Empress S. & W. Co.	1,500	500	500	Rs. 25	730
Framji Petit S. & W. Co.	1,920	1,000	1,000	..	1,555
Golam Baba S. Co.	2,000	500	500	..	430
Gordon Mills	1,032	1,000	1,000	..	250
Hindustan Mills	2,300	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	700
Hinguphat Mill Co.	700	500	500	70	695
Hydrabad Spinning Co.	700	1,000	1,000	Rs. 70	1,150
Imp. Cotton Mills Co.	400	500	500	Rs. 20	450
Indian Manfg Co. Ld.	468	1,000	1,000	..	890
James Groaves Mills.	100	500	500	..	620
Jaffar Ali Spin. Co.	1,340	500	500	Rs. 40	590
Jewraj Bhalloo	1,000	100	100	Rs. 30	905
Khandelish	750	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	8-0
hatao Mackunjee	1,000	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	790
Leopold S., Bleaching & Mfg. Co., Ld.	3,500	10	10	Rs. 5	134 xd.
Madras United	500	1,000	1 0	100	2,825
Mahalukshmi	650	1,000	Rs. 35		680
Manockjee Petit's	4,050	1,000	1,000	Rs. 50	1,117½
Managon Spinning Co	5,000	25	25	Rs. 9	185
Morarjee Gocoldas	1,150	1,000	Rs. 35		1,380
National Spinning	600	1,000	1,000	—	960
NaigaumCottonCleaning Co. Ld.	1,000	100	100	..	120
New Great Eastern	1 500	1,000	1,000	Rs. 45	945
Oriental	5,725	625	625	Rs. 2 0	485
Parell S. & W. Co. Ld.	2,500	400	400	Rs. 10	175
People of India S. & W. Company	1,000	250	250	6¼	185
Prince of Wales Spinning Company.	1,250	500	500	..	130
Queen Spinning	800	1,000	1,000	..	765
Ripon	641	1,000	1,000	..	625
Sassoon S. & W. Co.	1,500	1,000	1,000	Rs. 50	1,400
Sholapore Mills	678	1,000	1,000	Rs. 70	1,350
Soonderdas	650	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	960
Southern India	1,000	500	500	Rs. 20	410
Southern Mahratta S. & W. Co. Ld.	1,212	250	250	Rs. 10	230
Victoria Mills	600	1,000	1,000	..	525
Western India S.&M. Company	1,200	1 0	1,000	Rs. 25	590

MISCELLANEOUS

Alcock Ashdown&Co. Ld.	1,000	200	200	Rs. 4	200
Badham, Pile &Co. Ld.	750	100	100	Rs. 12	170
Bapty Co., Ld.	2,625	200	165	Rs. 10	203
Barton & Co., Ld.	1,000	100	100	Rs. 10	9xd.
The Bombay Land & Building Co., Ld.	300	500	100	..	100
Bombay Flour Mill Co.	500	500	500	..	610
Bombay Saw Mills	600	1,000	1,000	..	415
Bombay Ice Manufacturing Co., Limited.	1,250	100	100	Rs. 6½	107
Bombay & Burmah Trading Corporation	1,000	2,500	1,500	300	4,05
Do. New Shares	1,000	500	300	60	810
Bombay Fire Insurance Co.	600	1,000	1,000	25	875
Bombay Municipal Bonds	..	..	..	6 p.c.	104
Bombay Brick & Tile Co., Ld.	1,000	100	100	...	n
Bombay Tile Co.	1,000	100	100	...	0
Cash Bazaar	1,500	100	100	...	72
Cooper, Madon & Co., Ld.	3,000	100	100	10½	110
India Guarantee Suretyship Association	5,000	100	10	Rs. 1	43
Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Mining Co., Limited	42,000	..	5	..	34
Kurrachee Ice Co., Ld.	500	500	300	36	321
Kurrachee Lighterage Company, Ld.	500	500	200	36p. a	360
Kemp & Co. Ld.	4,000	200	175	Rs. 22½	316
Mechanics Building Co	4,000	50	22	1½	..
Oriental Government Security Life Assurance Company	5,000	200	50	2½	60
Oriental Loan Association	5,000	20	20	1½	22
Pearse and Co., Ld.	1,000	100	100	..	95
Prince of Wales Fire Insurance Co., Ld.	250	5,000	1,000	Rs. 100	450
Soundy & Co., Ld.	1,00	10	100	Rs. 8	90
Telephone Co., Ld.	19,200	25	25	Rs. 1	15
Thacker & Co., Ld.	2,000	530	500	Rs. 90	1,185
Thacker & Co., Ld.	1,500	100	100	Rs. 30	165
Western India Flour Mills	1,000	125	75	12 p.c.	127
Napier Hotel Co.	300	100	100	6	100
Napier Foundry and M'fg. Co.	1,000	100	100	,,	100

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE brig Rahmanee, 198 tons, Nacoda, arrived in harbour on the 24th instant, from Colombo, 15th Dec., with a general cargo.

THE steam-ship Pharos, 1446 tons, Commander E. Cooper, arrived in harbour on the 24th inst from Perim, 16th Feb., in ballast.

THE steam-ship Darwin, 1,779 tons, Captain H B Beard, arived in harbour yesterday from Coast and Cardiff (20th Jan.), with 2,827 tons coal. The vessel is consigned to J. Mackintosh and Co.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steam-ship Chanda, 1305 tons, Capt. A. C. Russel, arrived in harbour on the 24th instant from Coast and Calcutta (1st Feb.) with a general cargo and 18 deck passengers.

ARRIVALS.

Feb.	Vessel.	Commander	From.
25	Darwin (s)	Beard	Cardiff, Jan. 26.
	Tennasserim (s)	Hotham	Madras, Feb. 18.

DEPARTURES.

Feb.	Vessel.	Commander	Destination.
24	I. M. S. Clive	Powell	Suakim.
	Cuina (s)	Bellwood	Suakim.
	Goa (s)	Lewis	Suakim.
	Mobile (s)	Doert	China, &c.

The following vessels began to load yesterday:—
Steamer Inflexible for Dunkirk.
,, King Arthur for the Persian Gulf.

The following vessels obtained their port-clearances yesterday:—
Steamer Byculla, Warrington, Coast and Calcutta.
,, Bhownuggur, Nacoda, Bhownuggur.

MADRAS.

ARRIVAL.

Feb. 21 Rewa (s) ..... Calcutta.

DEPARTURE.

Feb. 20 Booldana (s) ..... Calcutta.

DAILY IMPORTS.—FEBRUARY 24.

FROM LONDON.

Verona s—4 cases sherry, etc, B Phillips; 10 cases medicine, H Mooljee; 3 cases sherry, etc, G Groom and Co; 650 cases brandy, N Ardaseer and Co; 46 cases gin, Treacher and Co; 15 cases beer, G Groom and Co; 10 cases sherry, Bodger and Co; 35 cases port, D Cowasjee; 55 cases sherry and port, S Cowasjee; 45 cases brandy, etc, Cutler, Palmer and Co.

Altumpre s—54 cases oilmanastores, E Sassoon & Co.

Beaconsfield s—6 packages glassware, S Abdoolally.

Sorento s—250 boxes candles, E Sumsooldeen and Co; 10 cases cau-de-cologne, E Sumsooldeen.

Rosetta s—16 cases brandy, Bodger and Co.

Venice s—6 cases sherry, Bodger and Co.

FROM GIBRALTAR.

Verona s—5 cases wine, sherry, champagne, King, King and Co.

FROM PONDICHERRY.

Verona s—3 cases claret, G Groom and Co.

FROM MARSEILLES.

China s—4 cases claret, G. Groom and Co; 25 cases vermouth and 25 cases champagne, Hormasjee and Co.

FROM BORDEAUX.

China s—375 cases brandy, B A Hormarjee; 375 cases rose, claret, &c, and 34 cases claret, Treacher and Co; 12 cases claret, Cooper, Madon and Co.

Nubia s—38 cases brandy, N. Ardaseer and Co.

FROM GLASGOW.

Nubia s—177 cases whisky, &c., D Cowasjee; 5 cases whisky, Bodger and Co; 135 cases whisky, &c., Sorabjee and Co; 30 cases whisky, J Eduljee; 88 cases ginger wine, J. Nowrojee.

Clan Forbes s—10 cases whisky, Bodger and Co.

River Indus s—125 cases whisky, Jamsetjee Framjee; 99 cases sulpuric acid, Finlay and Co; 13 cases printing ink; M A M Sarafally.

Clan Sinclair s—200 barrels rasin, E Alibhoy.

FROM HONGKONG.

Bangalore s—1,000 chests jar, Amanji Abaji; 136 bags sugarcandy, Hajee Esak Elias; 1,000 bags soft sugar, C Ebram; 243 bags sugarcandy, R Habibhoy; 48 packages black tea, B Nowrojee; 2,078 bags sugar, A. Graham and Co; 100 cases preserves, Moolchund.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Clan Sinclair s—10,000 loose fire bricks, Messrs Rodgers and Co; 6 crates earthenware, Soomar Veera.

Verona s—11 cases black tea, the United Merchants Co.

Belgravia s—7 bales paper, Abdoolhussen Keekabhoy.

Werneth Hall s—6 packages earthenware, Abba Hajee Ismail.

River Indus s—134 kegs paint, N Sarafally.

FROM COLOMBO.

Ellora s—20 cases whisky, Athley and Co.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—FEBRUARY 24.

Palmer, Col., B Lanc, to Egypt, from Cawnpore.
Mackenzie, Capt., B. Lanc., to Egypt, from Cawnpore.

FEBRUARY 25.

Wood, Lieut, 16th N. I., on leave, from Baroda.
Empson, Major, R. A., on duty, from Madras.
Reid, Lieut, L. Fus., on from leave, Deolali.
Elliot, (Capt., C. Gen., on special duty, from Poona.

DEPARTURES.—FEBRUARY 25.

Pearse, Major, 7th M. N. I., on duty, to Kamptee.
Patch, Surgeon, on duty, to Madras.
Palmer, Colonel, on service, to Suakim.
Thomson, Surg, on service, to Suakim.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.
REGIMENTAL ORDERS

By Lieut.-Col. the Hon. L. H. Bayley, Comdt.
B. V. R. C.

Bombay, February 26.

In consequence of the Gymkhana sports taking place on Saturday next, the 28th inst., there will be no Commanding Officers parade on that date.

The range at Coorla will be reserved to "E." Company on Saturday next, the 28th inst., for class firing. All members who have not completed their class firing are requested to be present.

Breakfast will be provided on the range.

The ranges at Coorla are reserved for Company on the 11th, 12th and 14th March.

By order,
A. H. ATKINSON, Captain,
Adjutant, B. V. R. C.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ORDERS.
(Gazette of India.)

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

H E the Viceroy and Govr-Genl, under the authority vested in him by the Statute 24 and 25 Vic, cap 67, sec 10, has been pleased to re-appoint the Hon J W Quinton to be an Additional Member of the Council of the Govr-Genl for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations, from 23rd inst.

H E the Viceroy and Govr-Genl, under the authority vested in him by the Statute 24 and 25 Vic., cap 67, sec 10, has been pleased to re-appoint the Hon ble Maharaja Luchmeswar Singh, Bahadur, of Darbhanga, to be an Additional Member of the Council of the Govr-Genl for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations, from the 23rd inst.

Furlough out of India, for 1 year, has been granted to Mr J M Macpherson, Depy Secy to the Govt of India in the Legislative Dept together with the usual subdiary leave from 3rd prox, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the same.

Punjab Frontier Force—2nd Punjab Infantry—Capt J M D Lewes, Wing Officer, to officiate as Wing Commdr, vice Maj A D Stretteli, transferred to the 5th Punjab Infy.

Lieut H A Browning, Offg Wing Officer to be Wing Officer.

5th Punjab Infantry—Maj A D Strettell, Wing Officer and Offg Wing Commdr, 2nd Punjab Infy, to be Wing Commdr, vice Maj A I Shephard, deceased, and to officiate as 2nd-in-Command during the absence on furlough of Maj C McK Hall.

Capt J E Mein, Wing Officer, to officiate as Wing Commdr, during the time Maj Strettell may officiate as 2nd-in-Command.

Lieut L E Cooper, Wing Officer and Offg Quartermaster, to be Quartermaster.

5th Goorkha Regt—Lieut J M Stewart, Offg Wing Officer, on probation, 1st Sikh Infy, to be Offg Wing Officer on probation, vice Lieut J O S Fayrer, on furlough.

The undermentioned officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Lieut-Col R. F. Firth, B S C., Comdt, 10th Ben Infy (p a) for 1 years and 37 days; Lieut-Col T B M Glascock, B S C, Sqdn Comdr and 2nd-in-Command, 1st Ben Cavy, (p a) for 1 year and 183 days; Maj C E Hallett, B S C, Depy Asst Comsy-Genl, 1st class (p a) for 1 year and 178 days; Capt C W J Hingston, B S C, Wing Officer, 10th Bengal Infy, Adjt, Rangoon Vol R C (p a) for 2 years; Capt S B Beatson P S C Sqdn Officer, 11th Ben Lancers (p a for 2 years; Bgde-Surg A H Hilson, M D, (p a) for 230 days; Surg-Maj R Harvey, M D, Professor of Midwifery, Medical College, and Obstetric Physician to the College Hospital, Calcutta, (p a) for 200 days; and Surg R J Taffe, M B, (p a) for 1 year, under rule 1 of the regulations of 1875.

Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 10th Nov 1881, the names of the following officers are moved upon the Indian Gradation List:—

Placed on the list of Major-Generals Col G. C. Hankin, B S C.

Placed on the list of Lieutenant-Cols Maj (now Lieut-Col) D Anderson, B S C;

In consequence of the transfer to the Unemployed Supernumery List of Maj-Genl G G Anderson, Ben Infy, on the 24th Dec 1884.

The following promotions are made subject to H. M's approval:—

Bengal Army.—To be Lieut Cols, Maj and Brevt Lieut-Col Arthur William Roberts, Genl List, Cavy and Maj and Bt Lieut-Col Adam Wilson Graham, Genl List, Infy 20th Feb 1885; and Maj and Brt Lieut-Col William Henry Beckett, Genl Sist, Infy 20th Feb 1885.

East Indian Raly Vol R Corps—Captain Allen Mears to be Maj, vice Maj P Corbet, retired.

The undermentioned officers are permitted to retire from the service, from the dates specified, subject to H M's approval:—Col John Thornhill Bushby, B S C, 5th Feb 1885; Col Motangue Mitchell Procter, B S C, 24th Feb, 1885.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The services of Capt E H Ensor, Indian Marine, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commr of British Burmah, for employment as Offg Port Officer, Bassein.

Mr Lawrence Knox to be an Asst Engr in the Indian Marine, from 7th Augt 1883.

Capt M Bean, Indian Marine, is granted furlough out of India for 9 months, with the usual subsidiary leave.

Mr W J Dangerfield, Agent for Govt Consignments, Calcutta, is granted leave on private affairs for 6 months

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Mr J W Wilson, Accountant, 2nd grade, at present temporarily employed in the Stores Dept of State Railways, is transferred to Class I V of the Superior Revenue, Estabit of State Railways, Stores Dept.

Mr P L Rooper, Asst Engr, 2nd grade, N-W P and Oudh, is transferred to State Railways, and his services placed at the disposal of the Dir-Genl of Railways.

Mr T Hamilton, Exec Engr, 1st grade, Hyderabad, is permitted, at his own request, to retire from the service, from 20th Feb 1885.

Mr J Barron, Exce Engr, 2nd grade, sub pro tem, temporarily to State Railways, and placing his services at the disposal of the Director-Genl of Railways, is cancelled.

Mr J E Brown is appointed an Asst Surveyor, 3rd grade, Survey of India, to fill an existing vacancy, from the date on which he reports himself for duty.

The services of the undermentioned officers having been placed at the disposal of the Foreign Dept for employment with the Afghan Boundary Comm, they are posted on the supernumery list, from the dates mentioned against them:—Maj J Hill, R E, Offg Depy Supdt, 3rd grade, from 26th Aug to 23rd Sept 1884, Capt St G C Gore, R E, Offg Depy Supdt, 4th grade, from 26th Aug 1884; and Lieut the Hon'ble M G Talbot, R E, Offg Depy Supdt, 4th grade, from 26th Aug 1884.

Maj T H Holdich, R E, Offg Depy Supdt, 2nd grade, from 16th Sept 1884, and the following temporary promotions are made in connection with the promotions and reversions which were announced in Notifications No. 472, dated 9th Oct 1884, No. 474, dated 10th Oct 1884, and No. 476, dated 20th Oct 1884, and No. 491, dated 4th Feb 1885, in the Survey of India Dept:—

Maj J R Wilmer, S C, Offg Depy, Supdt, 3rd grade, to officiate as Depy Supdt, 3rd grade, from 26th Aug to 23rd Sept 1884, both days inclusive.

Capt the Hon'ble M G Talbot, R E, Offg Depy Supdt, 4th grade, to officiate as Depy Supdt, 4th grade, from 26th Aug to 23rd Sept 1884, both dates inclusive.

Lieut F B Longe, R E, Offg Depy Supdt, 4th grade to officiate as Depy Supdt, 4th grade, from 26th, Aug to 2nd Dec 1884, both dates inclusive.

Capt R A Wahab, R E, Asst Supdt, 1st grade, to officiate as Depy Supdt, 4th grade from 26th Aug 1884, until further orders.

Maj S H Cowan, S C, Offg Depy Supdt, 3rd grade, to officiate as Depy Supdt, 3rd grade, from 16th Sept to 2nd Dec 1884, both dates inclusive.

Mr W H Patterson, Asst Supdt, 1st grade, to officiate as Depy Supdt, 4th grade, from 16th Sept, 1884, until further orders.

Maj J Waterhouse, S C, Depy Supdt, 3rd grade, to officiate as Depy Supdt, 2nd grade, from 3rd Dec. 1884, until further orders.

Maj E H Steel, S C., Depy Supdt, 4th grade, to officiate as Depy Supdt, 3rd grade, from 3rd Dec 1884, until further orders.

Mr. F. W. Kelly, Asst Supdt, 1st grade, to officiate as Depy Supdt, 4th grade, from 3rd Dec 1884, until further orders.

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PETER PETERSON, D. Sc.,
University Registrar.
Bombay, February 26, 1885.

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BIRTHS.

DAVISON—February 19, at Shoreham Hotel, Ootacamund, the wife of William Davison, of a daughter.
MORRIS—February 11, at Lahore, the wife of M. Morris, District Superintendent of Police, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

BURKE—RIDDELL—February 17, at St. Paul's, Amritsar, J. Hawley Burke, Lieutenant, 44th Prince of Wales's Own West York. Regt., second son of Michael Burke, of Ballydugan, Co. Galway, to Mary Alice, eldest daughter of Col. H. Vansittart Riddell, Dist. Judge, Amritsar.
WILSON—YOUNG—February 15, at Somastipore Institute, Florence Rebecca, eldest daughter of Mr. Young, Rampore Haut, to Peter Wilson, Esq., Locomotive Foreman, Indian State Railway, Somastipore, Tirhoot.

DEATHS.

BROOKES—At Dilkoosha, Avenel Thorold, son of Captain C. H. Brookes, Royal Engineers, aged 4 months and 2 days.
CURRIE—February 19, at 9, Elysium Row, Calcutta, Jessy H. Crawford, the beloved wife of William Currie, aged 33 years.
QUIN—February 18, at Sea, near Madras, Mary, the dearly loved wife of Lieutenant-Colonel Quin, Assistant Commissioner, Kalpi.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1885.

THERE is nothing more remarkable in the attacks that have lately been made upon the Governor of Bombay in the *Scotsman* than that they have appeared in that usually fair and decorous paper. The article which is published as a rejoinder to Sir James Fergusson's letter is not worthy of a journal which claims credit for something of a metropolitan character, which, as a rule, rises above parochial narrownesses, and which, in other days at any rate, avoided coarseness in controversy. The *Scotsman* may have good reason for having started this quarrel with Sir James Fergusson. If the expectation that a neighbour is likely to become a candidate for Parliament in an opposing interest can justify a bitter and not too scrupulous personal attack upon him the *Scotsman*, we suppose, has its justification. But that is no reason why a protest should not go forth from this part of the world—where no electoral interest has to be served and no temptation exists to prejudice in one direction or another—against the malevolence and unfairness with which the Edinburgh paper has treated a gentleman with whom it has no other reasonable cause of quarrel than that he is a political opponent. And perhaps our protest will be the more effective because at the time that the incident occurred of which so much has been made, we differed from the Governor, and frankly condemned the course he had taken. The incident, so far as Bombay is concerned, had been forgotten long ago, but the memory of it has not so far passed beyond recall that the unpardonable misrepresentation of the facts which the *Scotsman* has given can be suffered to go by without rebuke. Sir James Fergusson is charged with having had "a quarrel with the Scotsmen of Bombay because they did not pay particular respect to one of the sacred days of the Episcopal Church." Now, we are pretty confident that the Scotsmen of Bombay, who are fairer than the *Scotsman* of Edinburgh, will one and all repudiate the assertion that Sir James Fergusson had any particular quarrel with them. We

TELEGRAMS.

PROPOSED VISIT OF THE AMEER TO INDIA.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

LAHORE, FEB. 25.

The *Civil and Military Gazette* to-day announces that Sir Lepel Griffin goes to Jellalabad to meet the Ameer of Kabul and to accompany him to India.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

THE INTEGRITY OF AFGHANISTAN.

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS.

LONDON, FEB. 24.

Mr. Gladstone, in reply to a question in the House of Commons to-day, said that the declarations made by both present and former Cabinets with respect to preserving the integrity of Afghanistan from foreign aggression still remain in full force.

Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice (Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs), replying to a question in the House of Commons, said there was no truth in the statement that Sir Peter Lumsden had withdrawn to the neighbourhood of Herat on account of an anticipated collision between the Afghans and the Russians. His lordship said that Sir Peter was probably at present at Gurlin, a place on the Khuskh River, situated about sixty miles north of Herat.

FEB. 25.

Mr. Gladstone, replying to a question in the House of Commons last night, said that Government were taking steps which they deem best to ascertain and secure the entire Afghan frontier, including Herat, but that it was inexpedient at the present time to make a further statement on the subject.

THE BRITISH FORCES IN INDIA.

Mr. Cross, replying to a question in the House of Commons, said it was not considered necessary to strengthen the British forces in India.

THE FRANCO-BURMESE TREATY.

Mr. Cross, in reply to a further question, said that the Government had seen the text of the Treaty between France and Burmah, and that it was of a purely commercial character.

MEETING OF THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY.

An important meeting of the Conservative party was held to-day under the presidency of the Marquis of Salisbury, at which it was agreed that the Conservatives were prepared to assume office.

FRANCE AND CHINA.

CONTRABAND OF WAR.

TIENTSIN, FEB. 24.

The French Minister here has declared that rice is a contraband of war.

THE WAR IN THE SOUDAN.

CAIRO, FEB. 25.

The advance guard of General Brackenbury's column is expected to arrive at Abu Hamed to-day.

THE CHINESE IN BHAMO.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

RANGOON, FEB. 25.

The Chinese in Bhamo are still holding out. Provisions are reported to be plentiful. The Burmese in increasing numbers surround the town but remain inactive.

MADRAS GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, FEB. 25.

The Hon. P. O'Sullivan, Advocate-General, has been allowed leave on medical certificate for one year. Mr. H. H. Shephard acts for Mr. O'Sullivan.

Mr. E. B. Powell, barrister, acts for Mr. Shephard as Government Pleader.

Colonel Ross Church, Commandant of the Madras Volunteer Guards, has been allowed furlough for one year. Lieutenant-Colonel Scharlieb has been appointed to act during his absence.

Mr. C. A. Bird has been appointed Collector of Cuddapah, and Mr. Edward Turner District and Sessions Judge, Cuddapah.

Major Heming, Deputy Commissioner of Police, has been allowed furlough for one year.

REMOUNTS FOR EGYPT.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

LAHORE, FEB. 25.

Colonel Williams, Remount Agent, has arrived at Lahore to purchase horses for the mounted infantry for Egypt.

THE FRONTIER POLICE.

The Government of India has granted Captain Nixon, of the Punjab Police, an honorarium of twelve hundred rupees for his services in connection with the re-organization of the frontier police and militia.

A MARINE INQUIRY.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, FEB. 25.

The inquiry into the burning of the light-ship Mermaid closed with the examination of Mr. Alexander Pedler, Professor of Chemistry in the Presidency College, and Mr. Eaton Petley, Deputy Conservator of the Port, Calcutta. The report, with the opinion of the court, has been sent in to Government.

SIR F. ROBERTS.

Sir Frederick Roberts goes on a shooting excursion to-morrow to Cooch Behar with the Maharajah.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE GARDEN PARTY.

Lady Dufferin's Garden party this evening was an unqualified success.

A VERY OLD SERVANT.

An agitation is going on regarding a proposal to afford some public recognition of the services of Mr. H. W. I. Wood, the retiring Secretary of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce, after a career of close upon half a century. The Bonded Warehouse Association have pensioned Mr. Wood, and the Chamber of Commerce will probably give him an allowance.

THE WALKER CASE.

The sensational case of Walker *versus* Lalluram Paraday for illegal arrest came on for hearing to-day at the High Court. Mr. Ghose, counsel for the defendant, had not concluded his address when the court rose.

FREE SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

Foundation-stone of a new free school for girls was laid this evening by the Lieutenant-Governor with great *eclat*. Notwithstanding the counter-attraction at Government House there was a large gathering of friends of the institution.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

THE INCOMING MAIL.

ADEN, FEB. 25.

The P. and O. Co.'s s. s. Malwa, with the outward English mails of the 13th inst., left here for Bombay at ten o'clock last night.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

PLYMOUTH, FEB. 24.

The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Sutlej arrived here this morning.

SUEZ, FEB. 24.

The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Peshawur arrived here from Bombay this morning.

The Clan Line steamer Clan Grant left here for Colombo, Madras, and Calcutta this afternoon.

LONDON, FEB. 24.

The Clan Line steamer Clan Matheson arrived here this afternoon.

LISBON, FEB. 24.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Manora, outward bound for Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, left here yesterday evening.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer India, homeward bound from Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, left here yesterday evening.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS.

LONDON, FEB. 24.

The Liverpool Cotton market closed firm. Surats firm.

The London cotton market has been firm.

Good Fair Dholleras	4¾d.
The Manchester market has been firmer.	
7lbs. Shirtings	5s. 3d.
6lbs. do.	5s. 3d.
40's Mule Twist	0-0d.
Exchange on India, 60 days' sight	1-6 13-16
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	75¾
4½ ,, ,,	77¼
3 ,, Consols for account	98⅜
3½ ,, Sterling Loan	101
4½ ,, French Rentes	110
Bar Silver	49½
Arrival—Raffaele Rubattino	

TELEGRAPHIC LINE REPORT.

(FEBRUARY 25.)

STATE OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION.

GREAT BRITAIN.—*Via* Teheran, perfect. *Via* Turkey perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect.

CONTINENT OF EUROPE.—*Via* Teheran, perfect. *Via* Turkey, perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect.

AMERICA.—*Via* Brest, perfect. *Via* Valentia, perfect. *Via* Direct Cable, perfect.

AUSTRALIA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, perfect.

CHINA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, perfect.

Suakim-Perim interrupted.

Zanzibar-Mozambique risk

THERMOMETER READINGS.

TUESDAY, NIGHT, February 24.

10 p.m.	77·4

WEDNESDAY, February 25.

6 a.m.	66·7
10 a.m.	74·6
2 p.m.	79·6
4 p.m.	77·6

COMING EVENTS.

TO-DAY

Wilson's Philological Lecture, University Library, 5-15 p.m.

Millowners' Association, election of Secretary.

Feb. 27.—Gymkhana Sports.
Moonlight Band, Esplanade, 8 30.
Eurasian and Anglo-Indian Association, Annual Meeting, 5-30 p.m.
,, 28.—Gymkhana Sports.
Half-yearly general meeting Byculla Club, 6 p. m.
Anjuman-i-Islam Madressa, Prize Distribution by H. E. the Governor.
Departure of 28th Bo. N. I. for the Soudan.
Dramatic Entertainment at Sassoon Institute.
Holi Holiday.
March 2.—Yacht Club Dance.
Nariad Agricultural Show.
Bombay International Exhibition guarantors' meeting.
Bombay Municipal Corporation.
,, 3.—Annual Sky Races, Gymkhana.
Ratepayers' Election, Municipal Office.
,, 4.—Dinner to Sir James Fergusson, Western India Club, Poona.
,, 5.—Naval and Military Sports, Bombay.
H. E. the Governor lays foundation-stone of Fergusson College, Poona.
,, 6.—B. V. R. C. Cinderella Dance.
Naval and Military Sports, Bombay.
,, 7.—Annual Sky Races, Gymkhana.
,, 11.—Prize distribution, Indo-British Institution, by H. E. the Governor.
,, 26.—Farewell dinner to H. E. Sir James Fergusson at Byculla Club.
,, 27.—Departure of H. E. the Governor for England.
April 3.—Departure of T. R. H. the Duke and Duchess of Connaught for England.
Arrival of Lord Reay by P. and O. s. s. Tanjore.
,, 6.—B. V. R. C. Cinderella Dance, Town Hall.

YESTERDAY the Municipal Commissioner reported to the Town Council that in consequence of the introduction of cholera into Bombay from Nasik urgent measures had been taken to check the spread of the disease. A temporary hospital has been opened at Arthur-road, and pilgrims returning to Gujerat are being induced not to enter the city, but to join the Baroda line at Dadur junction. A report was presented with reference to the former outbreak in Bombay, in which the Health Officer stated that the system of appointing medical officers to visit the patients at their own homes worked well, and he should recommend that their services should be again solicited in the event of another outbreak. The very poor, however, in whose homes was an entire absence of good nursing and nourishment, would be better treated in small hospitals. Dr. Blanc, at whose request the report was supplied, pointed out that whilst the medical treatment of cholera cases was trifling, much might be done to avoid the spread of the disease, and their measures should be directed to that point. At the conclusion of the meeting Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee, on behalf of the Council, expressed their regret at the approaching departure of Dr. Blanc.

THE Minnésingers Second Smoking Concert of the season will be given at the Fort Gymkhana on Tuesday next, March 3. Members and honorary members can obtain tickets on application to the honorary secretary, Mr. G. W. Roughton, 5, Church-lane.

THE Hon. Mr. Justice Scott has been unanimously elected a member of the executive committee of the Bombay Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, in place of Mr. Henry Cleveland, retired.

SIR WILLIAM HEWETT has arrived at Madras in the Euryalus.

WE are glad to see that the railway companies are co-operating with the promoters of the naval and military sports to be held in Bombay on the 5th and 6th proximo with a view to making the meeting a success. Up-country competitors will be permitted to travel on the B. B. & C. I. and the Rajputana-Malwa Railway for half the ordinary fare, and on the G. I. P. Railway a reduction of 25 per cent. will be made.

MESSRS. COOK AND SON, who, as we have already announced, have been appointed passenger agents to the Royal Commission of the Colonial and Indian Exhibition, are making complete arrangements for forwarding exhibits. They are also arranging for providing accommodation in London for native gentlemen without interfering with their caste prejudices.

IT is definitely announced that Mr. Edward Gray, Accountant-General of Bombay, has been appointed to officiate as Comptroller-General on the departure of Mr. Westland. Mr. Rawlins, in consequence, will be transferred from Lahore to officiate as Accountant-General at Bombay. Mr. S. Jacob, who officiates as Accountant-General of the North-West Provinces, takes over charge from Mr. Cotterell Tupp.

THE revenue of Indian sea and land customs, excluding the salt revenue, for the first ten months of the current financial year, amounts to Rs. 68,38,000. For the corresponding period last year the amount was Rs. 81,78,000, and the deficiency shows to what extent trade has fallen off during the year.

A CASE of direct interference by Government with private enterprise has lately occurred in the Madras Presidency. It seems that the branch of the Murree Brewery Company at Ootacamund invited tenders for 1,000 tons of firewood, for the supply of which several owners of forest land in the neighbourhood tendered. The Government Forest Department also sent in a tender, which was lower than any other, and also agreed to deliver the firewood at the brewery itself, so of course the Government tender was accepted. Government was naturally able to supply the timber at a cheaper rate than private individuals, as it costs them much less for supervision and management.

A FEW weeks ago we mentioned the probability that Mr. W. B. Jones, Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces, would retire owing to continued ill-health. The announcement of his retirement is now definitely made. It may be assumed as a certainty that Mr. C. T. Crosthwaite, the Officiating Chief Commissioner, will be confirmed in the appointment, while Mr. R. Crosthwaite will probably succeed to the Judicial Commissionership. The latter's promotion would give a step to the Civil Service in these Provinces.

AN up-country paper points out that should the necessity arise, it would not be a very difficult task to invade Upper Burmah. The King's army is quite unequal to anything like regular operations in the field: and a British force of 4,000 or 5,000 men would be sufficient to seize Mandalay. In the first Burmah war we had an army of 30,000 men; but the situation is greatly changed since then, and very much to our advantage. The real difficulty would have to be faced after we had crushed Theebaw; for though 5,000 men would be sufficient to defeat the King's army, it could not hold the country, and would have to be largely reinforced. The garrison of Lower Burmah would also require to be strengthened. Various plans are in existence for the despatch of a British force to Mandalay. One was published some few years ago in the Journal of the Simla United Service Institution, signed E.G.B.—initials which are evidently those of a well-known officer in the Indian Intelligence, who served some time in Burmah. Captain Barrow would organize the invading army in two columns. The first column of 4,000 men would advance by the river route from Thayetmyo on Mandalay: the second column of 2,000 men marching by land from Tonghoo. After its capture, Mandalay might be held by 2,000 men; while the remainder of the first column would be sent up the river to Bhamo. The present garrison of British Burmah consists of about 5,000 troops; so it would be necessary to indent on India for a force nearly as large again.

MUCH as we all must deplore the fall of Khartoum, there is no reason why we should lose our heads over it. This apparently is what the *Pioneer* has done. The disaster has thrown that usually calm and well-regulated journal into hysterics, and in the present undisciplined state of its mind it indulges in curiously fanciful writing. Here is a sample:—

Like English April weather, sunny gleams of triumph each in its turn swiftly overcast by the shadows of death—the Soudan war goes on. With alternate smiles and tears England has followed the progress of two many of her heroes from difficulty to victory, from victory to death. With pulses now beating high in hopes of speedy triumph, and now downcast with rumours of disaster, we have seen the bloodshed of massacre drowned in the bloodshed of revenge. We have seen brave generals like Hicks Pacha, and stout garrisons as those of Sinkat and Tokar, overwhelmed and slaughtered. We have seen them savagely avenged. We have watched Gordon's brilliant career, like a solitary rocket in a midnight sky, rising with greater and greater brilliancy far up the Nile, and extinguished suddenly just when the joyous applause of Europe was ringing in our ears. We have seen Lord Wolseley cautiously yet hardily struggling—but failing—to overtake the hero's meteor-like track. We have seen for just one instant the figure of our youngest General, Sir Herbert Stewart, shoot forward, surround himself with a halo of glorious triumph, and then, before we have time to praise him living, we must lament him lifeless.

Even the "Young Lions" of the *Daily Telegraph* could not do beat than this.

IT is admitted, the Allahabad paper hears from England, that the calling out of the Reserves is not more due to affairs in the Soudan than to the anxiety that is felt about Afghanistan and Herat.

THE St. Petersburg correspondent of the *Times* writes:—There could be no better proof of the difficulties into which the want of a clear-sighted policy by Mr. Gladstone's Government has brought the English half of the Afghan Frontier Commission. No preliminary basis for the meeting of the Joint Commission seems to have been pre-arranged, as was to be expected; and now that Sir Peter Lumsden is already on the spot these preliminary matters have to be gone into in London before Russia will consent to despatch her part of the Commission. As far as one can judge here, if any one is to blame for the delay and the premature appearance of Sir Peter Lumsden on the Murghab without his Russian colleagues, it is the British Government, which thought that certain important details could be discussed by the Commission on spot, while Russia has all along insisted upon the necessity of first settling them in St. Petersburg and London.

THE *Augsburger Allgemeine Zeitung* contains a semi-official communication from St. Petersburg defending Russia against the charge of meditating fresh annexations in Central Asia. The concluding passage, which deals with the Afghan Frontier Commission, may (the Vienna correspondent of the *Daily Telegraph* says) be regarded as faithfully reflecting the opinion of the Russian Foreign Office. It runs thus:—

The delimitation of the Afghan frontier is likely to prove a most difficult, and, according to all appearances, a most useless, undertaking. It promises to give rise to incidents of all kinds. The questions to be examined are too numerous and too complicated to admit of the possibility of their being amicably disposed of. Moreover, is the whole frontier delimitation worth the trouble about to be taken by the two Governments concerned? The Commission will lead to no good result. England and Russia will further their respective interests best by allowing the question to drop, or, at all events, by postponing it. It ought not to be allowed to assume any great political importance. What can it matter to Russia whether she possesses a few square miles of territory more or less in the steppes which form the boundary district between Russia and Afghanistan? England's proposal to delimitate the frontier has been accepted in order to endeavour to dispel England's mistrust of our policy in Central Asia; but it was not foreseen at the time what difficulties would be met with in carrying it out. It is not so much the fixing of the frontier itself that may prove dangerous, as the incidents that may unexpectedly arise in connection therewith. Hence it is desirable that the Cabinets of London and St. Petersburg should arrive at an understanding before incidents crop up that may have immeasurable consequences. There is yet ground for hope that the two Governments will show their good-will by consenting to give the whole delimitation a purely local significance. In that case there will be no danger of peace being disturbed in Central Asia.

Truth is responsible for the following:—The rulers of Suakim recently gave to a supposed friendly chief 10,000 dollars, several Remington rifles, and a quantity of ammunition. This "friendly" left Government House vowing that he would exterminate Osman, but within two hours Osman "robbed" him of all the cash, arms, &c., and the "friendly" and his men went over to the Arabs. Since then the firing at night has increased.

THE speech which Mr. Goschen delivered at Edinburgh early in the month is regarded by some as a bid for the leadership of an anti-Radical party, composed of Whigs and Conservatives. But the *World* says that his chances of gaining a seat at Edinburgh are not promising, as the great majority of the Liberal Associations are against him, and his Liberalism is altogether too antique to suit the democracy of the Scotch capital.

IN the current number of *Temple Bar* the lively Serjeant Ballantine has something more to say about "Law and Lawyers." Legal habits were familiar in the morning and later at night in the Serjeant's days. Sir Frederick Pollock once told him that during the terms and the sittings, summer and winter, he reached his chambers at five o'clock in the morning, lighting his own fire when necessary. Here is a reminiscence of another of the Pollock family—Sir David—who became Chief Justice of Bombay. "He was a very little man, and I must record the fact that he was very ugly. He was thoroughly a Pollock in one respect, having a very large family, so large that a story prevailed, for the truth of which I will not vouch, that, being unable to provide a sufficient staff of nursery maids for his constantly increasing progeny, he had constructed at the top of his house in Lincolns-inn-fields a rotatory cage, in which the younger branches were enabled to get air, even if their opportunity for exercise was somewhat cramped."

THE section in the Straits Settlements Emigration Act which requires Indian emigrants moving from one part of the colony to another to obtain certificates, or in other words passports, appears to be productive of inconvenience and annoyance to those in whose interest the section was framed by a well-intentioned Government. We read, for example, in a Straits paper that a party of Indian coolies recently wished to go from Penang to Deli, and took their passage by steamer in ignorance of the fact that before they would be allowed to proceed they would have to obtain a certificate from the local Emigration Office. They discovered the omission at the last moment, and, leaving their baggage on board, went to the office to procure the necessary forms. On arriving there they found the office closed, and, with the childish helplessness characteristic of the native in difficulties, lost their wits and their passage too. The crowd ran to and fro, we are told, not knowing where to obtain the passports, and the upshot was that the steamer left without them, taking their luggage, which they had left on board, with her. A similar scene, it seems, took place before this occurrence. The fact that a passport is required of them in moving about the settlements appears to have been spread abroad among the coolie emigrants by these events, and certain of their number have evinced their distaste for this form of control by petitioning for an amendment of the Act.

THE appointment of Bishop Temple to the See of London is most favourably commented upon by the London papers. The fact that he wrote for "Essays and Reviews," which was made so much of when he was made Bishop of Exeter fifteen years ago, is recalled only by the reproduction in one of the papers of the following passage in the Life of Bishop Wilberforce:—"As far as Dr. Temple was concerned, no one had impugned the orthodoxy of his particular Essay, and it was only because the same outside cover embraced it as well as the other Essays that, for once, Lord Shaftesbury and Dr. Pusey, separated in everything else, were found standing side by side, facing, as they believed, the common enemy. Bishop Wilberforce, who had ordained Dr. Temple both deacon and priest, was personally satisfied with the orthodoxy of his opinions."

"As a heart-crusher, he could not compare with some of the gilded Chicago youths who affect that line of business, and there was nothing in his personal appearance to indicate either the howling swell or the masculine Adonis." Thus is described poor Lord Garmoyle, once king of the British *cretins*, by a gentleman of the Chicago press, who was not unnaturally surprised that an, "effeminate-looking man of about twenty-six, of a pink and white complexion, a receding chin, and a very small moustache," should ever have attained so proud a position. Indeed, Lord Garmoyle seems to have had rather a bad time of it at Chicago. "The loungers measured him up, and commented in not very complimentary terms upon his figure and bearing," forgetting that a masher in a "brown travelling suit and a stiff hat" is as unlike the real article as a king without his robes and regalia. But there is some fear that the young lord is still cunning in dudish fence, for "the hotel lobbies were thronged with ladies, who evidently fetched him with their pretty ways," and it was with evident reluctance that he retreated to the seclusion of his private chamber, "probably having before him the warning frown of his awful dad." If Lord Garmoyle is still bent on "mashing," let him always remember that "if a thing is worth doing at all it is worth doing well," to quote the memorable words of our future King. Or, in other words, "no half mashers."

MILITARY NEWS.

THE following were the scores made by members of E. Company in the Wyer Company Challenge Cup competition yesterday:—

	300	500	Total.
Sergt. D. J. Sharp ...	24	24	48
Vol. J. Dickie ...	23	23	46
,, L. Crowley ...	17	23	40
Lieut. G. Lund ...	20	20	40
Sergt. H. W. Prescott ...	16	18	34
Lance-Corpl. E. Valentine ...	14	17	31

The following are the prize-winners in the above competition, for the best three scores made:—
Vol. J. Dickie ...42 50 46—138. Wyer Challenge Cup.
Sergt. D. J. Sharp.45 42 48—135. Lieut. Lund's Prize.

TELEGRAPHIC WEATHER REPORT.

CALCUTTA, Feb. 23.—The barometric rise noticed in Sind and Gujarat yesterday has since extended to all parts of the country, except Eastern and Lower Bengal, Rutnagherry, and Negapatam. Lowest pressures are reported from Chutia Nagpur, while high pressures prevail over the Punjab and Rajputana and in Assam. The wind is anti-cyclonic in the North-West, blowing from the north-west in the Punjab, Rajputana, and Bombay; and cyclonic in the north-east, blowing from the west and north-west in the Central Provinces, from the south and south-west in Orissa and Lower Bengal, and from the east in North Bengal and Behar. The weather is clear of cloud, except in Lower Bengal and Orissa, and the only rainfall reported is half-an-inch at Dacca. The temperature has risen over Northern India generally; there is a decrease elsewhere.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY.

BOMBAY, February 24.

Means of observations at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 4 p.m. and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected 32 deg. Fah.	29·899
Temperature of the Air	73·6
Wet Bulb Thermometer	66·1
Dew Point	60·3
Relative humidity of Air	·636
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky clouded—8)	0·0
Maximum temperature of air (read at 6 p.m.)	80·3
Minimum do. do. (read at 10 a.m.)	64·0
General Direction of Wind	N. N. W.
Movement of wind in 24 hours	318

From midnight to midnight.

BOMBAY TOWN COUNCIL.

YESTERDAY Sir Frank Souter presided at the meeting of the Council at the Municipal Office. There were present:—Lieut.-Col Merewether, Capt. Morland, Dr. Blanc, Dr. Peterson, Mr. Grattan Geary, Messrs. Dosabhoy Framjee, R. N. Khote, M. N. Banajee, Nowrojee Furdoonjee, Nanabhoy Byramjee Jeejeebhoy, and R. M. Sayani.

THE ABSENCE OF THE HEALTH OFFICER.

A letter was received from the Commissioner, stating that Surgeon-Major Weir, Health Officer, had applied for an extension of leave for a further period of six months, and that it devolved upon the Council to make arrangements for the conduct of his duties during his absence.

It was explained that Surgeon-Major Weir was entitled to the additional leave both under Government and Municipal rules. On the motion of Dr. Peterson, seconded by the Chairman, it was decided to continue the present arrangement with Dr. Davidson, the acting Health Officer.

THE CHOLERA OUTBREAK AT NASIK.

A letter, dated 24th instant, was read from the Municipal Commissioner, stating that he had found it necessary to take urgent measures to endeavour to check the spread of cholera in Bombay, that a temporary hospital had been opened at Arthur-road, that the services of an hospital assistant had been obtained from the Surgeon-General, and that proper qualified medical attendance had been engaged at a salary of Rs. 200 per mensem.

Various Government Resolutions directing the precautions to be taken at Nasik, by the railway authorities, and elsewhere were also read.

The Chairman stated that the police had beaten *bataki* throughout the city, and had advised people that cholera had broken out at Nasik, and they should not go there. This was all the police could do. He had been in communication with the Health Officer, and with Major Portman, of the G. I. P. Railway Police. The latter informed him that tickets were issued to the returning pilgrims only by trains, other than the mail, which might be stopped at Chinchpoogly and the sick removed. Pilgrims belonging to Guzerat would also be persuaded to change at Dadur on to the Baroda Railway, and thus avoid entering Bombay.

Dr. Blanc warned them that they must not rest content with the measures already taken as placing them in a condition of complete security. The symptoms of cholera did not declare themselves at once, and besides those persons attending on the train precautions should be taken with regard to those who might not be in a visibly diseased condition. They should have at hand a body of men to visit, in every locality where cholera declared itself, the individuals attacked, and then take steps to impede the further progress of disease by preventing contamination. At present there was no epidemic of cholera in Bombay, and if its propagation by these pilgrims could be prevented, the city would not suffer from cholera during the cold weather. This was not the season for cholera, and Bombay might be spared. He moved the following resolutions:—

In recording the letter from the Municipal Commissioner the Town Council agree with the steps already taken by him for the prevention of the introduction of cholera into the city by pilgrims from Nasik. The Council, however, beg to recommend the Commissioner to make special arrangements for the proper medical treatment of cholera patients. That the officers employed to attend cholera patients should be asked to make inquiries regarding the patients' connection, if any they have had, with persons suffering from the disease in Nasik as in the matter of residence drinking of the same water, eating food together and so on.

The Municipal Commissioner pointed out that his letter only dealt with the measures taken up to the end of last week, and assured the Council that further precautions would be taken as the necessity arose.

After this explanation the resolution was withdrawn.

TENDERS.

The tender of Messrs. M. R. Bheljibhai and Co. was accepted, for the completion of the work of enlarging the water mains in Vehar district at a cost of Rs. 5,171, plus 5 per cent. contingencies against a sanctioned grant of Rs. 5,970. The Council also accepted the tender of the same firm for laying a water main in Babu Dhobee-street and for works connected therewith.

THE TREATMENT OF CHOLERA.

Dr. Blanc asked, as he was shortly leaving Bombay, whether before his departure the report of the Health Officer could be furnished him with regard to the cholera outbreak in Bombay, as to the experience of patients being treated in their own homes by medical men.

The Chairman.—I am sure we shall very much regret your absence.

The Municipal Commissioner replied that he had just received the report required. The Health Officer wrote as follows:—

To the Municipal Commissioner.

Sir,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your endorsement No. 11294 of 1884-85, and to state in reply that in my opinion the system of appointing special medical officers for cholera duty worked well, and I would venture to recommend that their services should be again solicited in the event of another epidemic of that disease. I do not, however, consider that the treatment of the very poor at their own houses by medical officers at all so satisfactory as would be the treatment of such cases by the same medical men in well appointed hospitals. There is in many cases an entire absence of the essential of all treatment, viz., good nursing and proper nourishment adapted to the disease and the condition of the patients. Many distressing cases of this description were brought to my notice during the epidemic, and I was for this and other reasons that I so frequently urged the necessity of providing properly appointed cholera hospitals within easy reach of cholera-stricken people. If the father and mother could be induced to send a cholera stricken child to hospital when one is available, but if they have to be carried a long distance as, for instance, from Mahim to Grant-road, this would be impracticable, as were the patients very ill, they would probably die on the way or shortly after admission. Even in less extreme cases when a mother has two or more sick children to attend upon, and perhaps the father as well, she cannot devote to them that amount of attention which is necessary to afford them the ordinary chances of recovery and neighbours are not anxious to render assistance in such cases. From the experience, I have had, I am led to believe that cholera hospital afford to the cholera-stricken poor by far the best chances of recovery.

2. I think that the measures adopted by the Health Department lessened in a very material degree both the severity and extent of the epidemic.

3. I am not aware of there having occurred any inconvenience to the patients or others from the system adopted. So far as I could observe, the kindness and tact displayed by all the medical officers in dealing with the sick poor precluded any such inconvenience arising.—I have, &c.,

D. C. DAVIDSON,
Acting Health Officer,

Dr. Blanc remarked that the experience gained under the system adopted showed the wisdom of providing small hospitals for the treatment of the very poor, and at the same time of the medical men visiting the houses of those who were not so poor and where a certain amount of nursing and nourishment could be given by the family. His great object in wishing cholera cases attended at their homes wherever possible was this: cholera was practically a disease without treatment, but the great advantage of home visits was that the disease could be checked from spreading. No doubt there were cases among the very poor where the comforts and nursing were better given in small hospitals, but these should be in close vicinity to the locality of the outbreak. Cholera patients should not be carried any distance; it should be remembered that this was cruelty. It should also be remembered that medical treatment of cholera was almost unknown; at the present moment what could be done for the patient was trifling, but much might be done to avoid the spread of the disease, and all measures should be directed towards this point. Dr. Blanc thanked the Municipal Commissioner for furnishing him with the report, which should be published in order that those to the east might know what had actually been done, and that they might have every confidence in the assistance given by the Health Department of the Municipality. (Hear, hear.)

THE DEPARTURE OF DR. BLANC.

Mr Dosabhoy Framjee said that this being the last day their friend and colleague, Dr. Blanc, would be with them in consequence of his departure for Europe, he wished to say a few words about the valuable assistance the Council had always received from him. (Hear, hear.) Dr. Blanc's opinion and advice on important sanitary and medical questions were always listened to with great attention, and the Council had greatly benefited by his valuable suggestions. (Hear, hear.) He believed he was expressing the feelings of the whole Council when he said that in Dr. Blanc they would lose an able and experienced colleague, and that it would be difficult to supply his place. (Hear, hear.) He did not know whether Dr. Blanc would return to India, but he hoped so, and the Council would always welcome his presence amongst the members. (Hear, hear.)

The Chairman.—I am sure you will all concur in what has fallen from Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee. We all very much regret Dr. Blanc's loss, and no one more than myself.

Dr. Blanc.—I thank you very much for your kind-nessgentlemen.

The Council then adjourned.

HIGH COURT.—FEBRUARY 26.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice BAYLEY.)

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

Long Causes.

258-83—Thakurdas and D.—Jairam Narronji vs. Kooverbai and another—Little, S., F., and N., Jefferson, B., and D., and M. M. Munshi—Part heard.

291-83—Thakurdas and D.—Fazulbhoy Cassumbhoy Gangji vs. Feroo Mahomed and others—Macfarlane and E., and Payne, G. and S.—Part heard.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice PINHEY.)

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

Short Causes.

27-85—Hore, C. and B.—Motichund Purbhoodas vs. Framji Dorabji Ghaswalla—Pestonji K.

Long Cause.

367-83—Hore, C., and B.—Mahomed Ismail bin Cumroodin vs. Shurfudin bin Khubh Khan—Payne, G. and S.—Part heard.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice SCOTT.)

Long Cause.

444-81—Macfarlane and E.—Jugmundas Mungaldas vs. Sir Munguldas Nathoobhoy and others—Little, S. F. and N., and Nanu and H.—Part heard.

SPORTING.

BOMBAY GRAND NAVAL AND MILITARY SPORTS.

THE B. B. & C. I. & Rajputana-Malwa Railway Companies have kindly consented to grant to competitors return tickets at single fares, and the G. I. P. Railway Company return tickets at one fare and a half.

On arrival in Bombay European competitors will be attached to the Colaba Depôt, and natives to the Marine Battalion.

A. H. MEIN, Capt.,
Honorary Secretary.

Bombay, February 25, 1885.

BOMBAY.

VESSELS ARRIVED.—The following vessels arrived yesterday:—Darwin (s), from Cardiff; and Tennasserim (s), Madras.

VESSELS SAILED.—The following vessels sailed on the 24th:—I. M. S. Clive, Guina (s), and Goa (s), for Suakim; and Mobile (s), China, &c.

MUSIC AT THE APOLLO-BUNDER.—The following programme of music will be played by the band of the Bombay Volunteer Rifles at the Apollo-bundar, at 6 p.m.:—

Overture	Don Juan ... Mozart.
Valse	Toujours au Jamais ... Waldteufel.
Reminiscences of Donizetti	... A. F. Godfrey.
Quadrille	Hit and Miss ... Herve.
Galop	Nur Schnell ... Roth.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

PRINCE'S DOCK.—The s.s. Shahzada entered, and the I. M. S. Clive left, the dock on Tuesday.

B. B. AND C. I. RAILWAY.—The approximate return of traffic for the week ending the 21st inst. shows an increase in receipts of Rs. 23,847.

FALSE WEIGHTS.—Gainoo Harkoo, a hawker of goods, was yesterday convicted by Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee of having in his possession a false weight and a pair of false scales, and using them fraudulently. He was fined Rs. 10.

THE B. S. P. C. A.—The following cases were prosecuted by the agents of the Bombay Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, during the week ending 21st inst.:—Bullocks, lame 23, sore neck 2, sore on back 1, emaciated 13, sores on body 14, overloaded 14, goading 6. Total number of cases, 100.

DEATH FROM BURNS.—A coroner's inquest was held yesterday at the J. J. Hospital on the body of Halima, a Mahomedan girl, 12 years of age. On Tuesday morning while she was looking out of a window her clothes caught fire at a fireplace, where some cooking was going on. She was almost immediately enveloped in a sheet of flame, and severely burned all over her body from head to foot. She died the same evening at the hospital. The jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

THEFT.—At the Fort Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Ryan, Baboo Ramjee, a shoemaker, pleaded guilty to a charge of theft of a gold earring. Accused had found the ornament in a hack victoria which he was re-cushioning. It had been dropped in the gharry by the wife of a Parsee spinning-master who lived at Chinchpoogly. As soon as accused had finished his work with the carriage he handed to a Marwaree, to whom he gave the ornament in pledge. The Marwaree, however, went to a sepoy and showed it to him. Accused was sentenced to one month's rigorous imprisonment.

DINNER TO A PARSEE SURGEON AT ADEN.—A correspondent writes to us from Aden:—"On Sunday, the 15th of February, the Parsees of Aden entertained Assistant-Surgeon Khosroo Sorabjee Engineer at a public dinner on the eve of his departure from Aden to Bombay. The dinner took place at the Merwan Bag, which was profusely decorated with leaves and flowers, and illuminated with lanterns of variegated colours. This scene presented a very imposing appearance from a distance. From 6 p.m. the resident Parsees began to assemble at the garden. At 9 p.m. all sat to dinner, and after the usual toasts Cowasjee Dinshaw, as president of the Parsee community, gave the toast of 'our retiring doctor,' which was received with loud applause. Mr. Khosroo made a short and effective speech in response. Several other toasts followed."

A PAIR OF SWINDLERS.—Fasal Mahomed Joosuff, a muccadum, and Shaik Hossan Mahomed, tindal of a cargo boat, were yesterday charged before Mr. Ryan with criminal breach of trust, and abetment of the offence, in respect of a bale of piece-goods worth Rs. 1,200. The first prisoner was the muccadum of a piece-goods merchant named Bhimjee Kurrimsee, and had been entrusted by him to convey ten bales of cloth on board the Pachumba. The muccadum engaged the second prisoner's boat, and arranged with him to deliver only nine of the bales. This was done, but as the complainant himself went on board the Pachumba soon after, the theft was discovered. The missing bale was recovered, though some of its contents had been abstracted. The first prisoner was sentenced to four months', and the second to two months', rigorous imprisonment.

BOMBAY GYMKHANA.

OPEN LAWN-TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

IN correction of former notice the following will be the dates on which the ties of the matches must be completed:—

1st tie	Tuesday, 3rd March.
2nd tie

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS are invited for the Supply of Materials for Field Officers' Quarters in Marine Lines, Bombay.
2. Specification and conditions of Contract can be seen, and forms of Tenders, and all necessary information obtained on application at the Bombay Defences Office, Fort.
3. Tenders, which should be sealed, will be received by the undersigned up to 12 noon on the 26th instant when they will be opened.
4. The amount of earnest-money required to accompany the Tender is Rupees 400 and the amount of deposit required in the case of the accepted Tender is 5 per cent. on the tendered amount.
5. The acceptance of the Tender rests with the Superintending Engineer, Northern Division.
6. Authority is reserved to reject any or all of the tenders received.

W. MERRIMAN, Bt. Lt.-Col., R. E.,
Executive Engineer, Bombay Defences.
Bombay Defences Office, Fort, 18th February, 1885.

TO BE SOLD BY TENDER.
100 Shares of Rs. 500 each, Rs. 100 paid up, in the Bombay Land and Building Co., Limited.

THE VENDOR is the principal owner of Parli Hill (about ten minutes' drive from Bandora Station) which by improvements already effected has become a valuable building estate and plantation. About 70,000, square yards of land and 4 new bungalows belong to the above company. The Vendor wishes to further develop the estate and to erect several more bungalows (for which applications have been made) with greater accommodation than those already built. The existing improvements have doubled the value of the Co.'s land and the Vendor would be glad to continue them by a small proprietary with the safeguard of limited liability. He himself proposes to retain not less than 100 shares in the Co. as a permanent investment. The Capital would be called up as required to pay the Builder. The memorandum and articles of association of the Co. and the 1st Balance Sheet can be inspected in the office of the Registrar of Joint-Stock Companies, Bombay. Tenders for the above shares in lots of not less than 5 and at a minimum of Rs. 110 per share will be received by Messrs. Chalk and Walker, Solicitors, Bombay, up to the 2nd March 1885.

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SALE OF KANARA TEAK TIMBER.

NOTICE is hereby given that about 1,214 Kandies of GIRDLED TEAK, 3,339 Kandies of SLEEPERWOOD and 49 Kandies of BLACKWOOD of 12½ c. ft. per Kandy will be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION at the Kolbaug Timber Depot, Karwar, on MONDAY, 16th March, 1885.
2. The timber will be put up in lots of from 200 to 250 Kandies girdled teak; 10 to 500 kandies sleepwood and 5 to 30 kandies backwood each, of which the computed measurements as registered in the Government Accounts will be stated. Bids must be made by the lot and not by the kandy. No dispute regarding the contents of any lot will be listened to after the sale.
3. The timber will be put up at a moderate upset price and knocked down to the highest bidder.
4. Terms of Sale.—Cash or payment to the Accountant General, Bombay, on the 2nd day following the sale; in case of the latter the purchaser shall be required to intimate the payment by telegraph to the undersigned.
5. The Forest Depot will not be responsible for any timber purchased if not removed prior to the setting in of the next South-West Monsoon, and will charge Depot rent at the rate of (Re. 1) one per log per mensem for all timber remaining unremoved after the 30th November, 1885.

R. G. C. WESTBROOK,
In charge Coast Timber Depots.
Kodibag Timber Depot, Karwar, 17th February, 1885.

SINDH, PUNJAB AND DELHI RAILWAY COMPANY.
NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited for the supply, at Lahore and Kurrachee, of certain STORES o COI NERY PRODUCE and MANUFACTURE, during the nine months commencing 1st April, 1885.
Printed lists of the articles required at each place, and specifications and conditions under which the Company will receive tenders, and enter into contracts, may be obtained on application to the Chief Storekeeper, Lahore.
Tenders must be submitted to the Agent's office, Lahore, in sealed cov rs, superscribed "Tenders for the supply of country stores," and must reach not later than 2 p.m. on the 3rd March, 1885.
The following list will give an indication of the stores principally required:—
1. Metals, manufactured and unmanufactured.
2. Tools.
3. Hardware.
4. Cloths, uniforms, &c.
5. Ropes, &c.
6. Kerosine oil, Tallow, Soaps, &c.
7. Hides, Leather, and Leather work.
8. Timber, Bullies, Charcoal, &c.
9. Furniture and Glassware.
10. Painter's stores.
11. Chemicals, &c.
12. Wicker work, Bamboos, Baskets.
13. Pottery.
14. Country stationery.
15. Lamps, &c.
16. Miscellaneous.

R. BOCQUET, C.I.E.,
Agent, S. P. and D. Ry. Co.
Agent's Office, Lahore, 21thJun, 1885.

BHOWNAGAR GONDAL RAILWAY.
NOTICE.
ALTERATION IN TIMING OF TRAINS.

THE public is hereby informed that on and from the 1st March, 1885, PASSENGER TRAINS WILL RUN to the time given below:—

MAIN LINE.

	Mail A.M.	Mixed. A.M.
Departure from Bhownagar	7-20	10-45. P.M.
Departure Dhola.....	9- 8	1-13
Arrival Wadhwan Junction	12-50 P.M.	6- 4. Mixed.
Departure from Wadhwan Junc-.....	Mail P.M. 2- 0	A.M. 7-10. P.M.
Departure Dhola.....	5-52	12-12.
Arrival Bhownagar	7-30	2-27.

BRANCH LINE.

Departure Dhoraji	10-52	A.M.
Arrival Dhola	4-53	P.M.
Departure Dhola.....	1-35	„
Arrival Dhoraji.....	7-35	„

The charge for 3rd class passengers by the mail trains between Bhownagar and Wadhwan junction will be 3 pies per mile.
The mail trains will not stop at the following stations:—
Vartej. Ninwala.
Sanoshra. Kundli.
Ujaivav.

CHAS. CARROLL,
Traffic Superintendent.
Traffic Superintendent's Office, Ghadechi, 14 February, 1885.

COMMISSARIAT.
NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Commissariat Store-keeper General, at Bombay at 11-30 a.m. of the 27th February, 1885, for the supply to this Department of:—
2. Blankets, Brown, of bona fide Indian manufacture, for issue to European Troops in Barracks length 7' 6", width 5' and weighing 4lb. 12oz. each ..... No. 20,000.
3. Blankets white of bona fide Indian manufacture, for issue to European Troops in Hospitals, length 7' by 5', weighing 3lb. each ..... No. 1,000.
4. The above are the probable annual requirements of this Presidency, and to this extent Blankets both for Barracks and Hospital will be required for five years, commencing from 1st April, 1885, but as the bedding is due to Troops on 1st October each year, half of the number should be deliverable in September, and quarter in October, and the remainder in November, each year, the Hospita s Blankets, being deliverable in October.
Tender will be received, up to 11-30 a.m., of the 27th February, 1885 only, when they will be opened in this office, in the presence of such of the Tenderer's as may attend.
6. Persons desirous of undertaking the contract can obtain, on application at this office, printed forms of Tenders, schedules of articles to be supplied and any other information they may require connected with the contract and the conditions to e Tenderers must abide by to prevent their Tenders being treated as informal.
7. No reas n will be assigned for the rejection of the lowest or any Tender.
8. No Tenders will be received or attended to unless, accompanied by the necessary earnest money in Treasury receipts, viz., 2½ per cent. on the value of one year's supply only.
9. No earnest money in cash will be received.
10. Further security deposit on acceptance of the Tender must be furnished in cash or Government Loan papers to the extent of 10 per cent. of the estimated value of one year's supply only.
11. In the event of earnest money being deposited in the treasury and a Tender not being submitted the earnest money will be forfeited to Government.

J. M. BOYD, Colonel,
Commissariat Store-keeper General.
Commissariat Store-keeper General's Office, Bombay 23rd January, 1885.

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BUTTER DISHES.
BUTTER KNIVES.
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CHUTNEY FRAMES.
CLARET CUP JUGS.
CLARET JUGS.
CRUET FRAMES.
CRUMB SCOOPS.
DESSERT FRUIT SPOONS.
DESSERT KNIVES, FORKS AND SPOONS.
DINNER CRUETS.
DOULTON WARE.
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ENTREE DISHES WITH WARMERS.
FISH KNIVES AND FORKS.
GOBLETS.
ICE JUGS.
ICE PALLS.
LUNCHEON TRAYS.
MINIATURE TEA AND COFFEE SERVICES.
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NAPKIN HOLDERS.
NUT CRACKERS.
PEPPER CASTORS.
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PICKLE PRONGS OR FORKS.
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SALT CELLARS.
SALVERS.
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SAUCE BASKETS.
SIDE DISHES.
SPIRIT AND LIQUOR FRAMES
SPOONS, FORKS, &C.
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A FIRST-RATE KEYLESS LEVER HUNTING WATCH in HEAVY 18-CARAT GOLD engine turned or plain case, with full jewelled movement, finest lever escapement, broquet hair spring and chronometer balance wheel, in polished walnut case, with spare glass and mainspring and a three years' stamped guarantee.
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Shipments (*not* consignments) of these deservedly appreciated CHAMPAGNES, we receive continually at this port, and parcels thereof are, as heretofore, at the disposal of constituents and others desirous of these *unequalled* Brands.

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NOTICES.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

MR. E. M. WALTON wishes to intimate to the Public that he has ADMITTED Mr. HERBERT BROMLEY, Dental Surgeon, (late Edinburgh), as a PARTNER in his PRACTICE from THIS DATE.
N.B.—Mr. Walton has not left Bombay, or retired from Practice, as currently reported. Future address:—
Messrs. WALTON & BROMLEY,
Dental Surgeons.
Bombay, February 2, 1885.

TO PRINTERS AND PRESS READERS.

ACTIVE FOREMAN WANTED for a daily newspaper office. Must be a good reader, have had experience in making up, and be able to control a large body of men. Unexceptional references as to sobriety indispensable. Send copies of testimonials, which will not be returned, and state salary expected. Address MANAGER, "PIONEER," Allahabad.

BANK OF BOMBAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the BANK, the PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, and the GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANK will be CLOSED on SATURDAY, the 28th instant, on account of the HOLI HOLIDAY.
By order of the Directors,
W. FRASER,
Secretary and Treasurer.
Bombay, 21st February, 1885.

SOUTHERN MAHRATTA RAILWAY COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE.

ON and after the first proximo the OFFICES of the Agent and of the Joint Auditor and Examiner of Accounts, Southern Mahratta Railway, will be REMOVED from POONA to DHARWAR. Communications should be addressed accordingly.
G. M. STEWART, Agent.
Poona, 10th February, 1885.

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ONE of the best Tea Gardens in the Kangra Valley, Punjab, producing about 16,000 lbs. tea a year, and will soon yield 20,000 lbs., near Cashmere. Good shooting, large local European population. In full working order, for black and green teas. Large outturn per acre and cheap cost of production, well trained native staff of tea-makers. Good climate. For full particulars apply to H. C., care of Manager, Holta Tea Co., Ld., Palampur, Kangra Valley.

BOMBAY MILL OWNERS' ASSOCIATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of the Members of the Association will be held at the office of the Association, Graham's Buildings, on THURSDAY, the 26th instant, at 4 p.m., for the purpose of appointing a Secretary to the Association in place of Mr. John Gordon, deceased.
DINSHAW MANOCKJEE PETIT,
Chairman.
Bombay, 18th February, 1885.

THE ARAB HORSE EMPORIUM.—DINSHAW SUNTOOK & Co. beg most respectfully to bring to the notice of the Public that another excellent Batch of Uneezah and Nuzdee Arabs just arrived and brought by the well-known Arab Dealer, Jusim Bin Feed, amongst which there are lovely Chargers, Racers, Hunters, and Ponies, &c. Gentlemen fond of Horse flesh are solicited any earl inspection.—No. 5o5, Bombay, Dec., 1884.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY.
NOTICE.
REDUCTION IN THE RATES FOR PERIODICAL TICKETS.

ON and after the first of March next the rates for PERIODICAL TICKETS issued between Stations from Bombay to Callian inclusive will be REDUCED.
Full particulars of the reduced charges may be had on application to the Station Masters, or of the undersigned.
HENRY CONDER,
General Traffic Manager.
Bombay, the Twenty-fourth of February, 1885.

B. B. & C. I. RAILWAY.

THE Agent is prepared to receive TENDERS up to 2nd proximo for the supply to this Company of six hundred tons of 1st Class MOULMEIN or RANGOON TEAK TIMBER. Delivery to commence about the middle of March next.
2. The timber must be well seasoned and in straight square logs without holes, shakes or wens.
3. Undersigned will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.
W. S. S. BISSET,
Agent.
General Offices, Bombay, 20th February, 1885.

NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Undersigned up to 1 o'clock p. m. (Gun-fire) on SATURDAY, the 28th February, 1885, for the purchase of the right of removing sand from:—
Butcher's Island,
Western Side of Karanja,
Taloka Alibaug,
within the limits of the Port of Bombay from 1st April, 1885, to 31st March, 1886.
HENRY MORLAND, Captain I. M.,
Port Officer.
Bombay Port Office, 20th January, 1885.

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GENTLEMEN (Ex-Students) wishing to join in the Gathering are respectfully invited to send in their names (with address), accompanied with Subscriptions, not less than Rs. 2 each.
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I. Ordinary and petty repairs to all the Military and Civil Buildings and works in charge of the Executive Engineer, Bombay Defences, in Bombay, Butchers' Island, Hog Island, and Elephanta.
II. Supply of, and repairs to, Barrack Furniture.
2. Conditions of contract can be seen, and forms of tenders and ll necessary information obtained on application at the Bombay Defences Office, Fort, during Office hours.
3. Tenders, which should be sealed will be received by the undersigned at his office up to noon, on 26th instant, when they will be opened.
4. The amount of earnest money required to accompany the tenders is Rs. 500 each.
5. The acceptance of the Tender rests with the superintending Engineer, Northern Division.
6. Authority is reserved to reject any or all of the tenders received.
W. MERRIMAN, Bt. Lt.-Col., R. E.,
Executive Engineer, Bombay Defences.
Bombay Defences Office, Fort, 9th February, 1885.

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2. These rules will apply to money orders drawn upon any of the foreign countries, British Colonies or Native States with which foreign money orders are exchanged by India. The general conditions governing the issue of foreign money orders, as detailed in the *Postal Guide*, will apply to orders advised by telegraph, except that the charges on such orders will be as detailed below.
3. The remitter of a foreign money order, advised by telegraph under these rules will be